

# SENATE, No. 3302

## STATE OF NEW JERSEY 217th LEGISLATURE

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**SYNOPSIS**

Makes FY 2018 supplemental appropriation of \$7,453,000 to DOH for family planning services.

**CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT**

As introduced.



**(Sponsorship Updated As Of: 6/20/2017)**

1    **A SUPPLEMENT** to "An Act making appropriations for the support  
2       of the State Government and the several public purposes for the  
3       fiscal year ending June 30, 2018 and regulating the disbursement  
4       thereof," approved, 2017 (P.L.2017, c.        ).  
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6       **BE IT ENACTED** *by the Senate and the General Assembly of the*  
7       *State of New Jersey:*  
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9       1. In addition to the amounts appropriated under P.L.2017,  
10      c.   , the annual appropriations act for Fiscal Year 2018, there is  
11      appropriated out of the General Fund the following sum for the  
12      purpose specified:  
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**46 DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH**

*20 Physical and Mental Health*

*21 Health Services*

**GRANTS-IN-AID**

02-4220 Family Health Services .....	\$7,453,000
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Total Grants-in-Aid Appropriation,	
Health Services .....	\$7,453,000
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***Grants-in-Aid:***

02 Family Planning Services..... (\$7,453,000)

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15    Of the funds hereinabove appropriated for Family Planning Services, no  
16       monies shall be expended on abortion procedures.  
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18       2. This act shall take effect on July 1, 2017.  
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**STATEMENT**

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23       This bill proposes to supplement the Fiscal Year 2018 annual  
24       appropriations act by making an appropriation of \$7,453,000 from  
25       the General Fund to the Department of Health for Family Planning  
26       Services grants.

27       Appropriations for these grants were eliminated in Fiscal Year  
28       2011, and have not been reinstated. The elimination of this funding  
29       resulted in both the closing of centers that provide family planning  
30       services and a reduction in the availability of such services, as the  
31       remaining sources of federal and private funding for the family  
32       planning centers were insufficient to maintain existing services.

33       This bill restores State funding for family planning centers to  
34       previous levels, thereby increasing the availability of family  
35       planning services. The bill also improves family planning centers'  
36       abilities to compete for additional federal Title X family planning  
37       grants, which fund no less than 90 percent of grant recipients'

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1 approved project costs and require a non-federal match of no more  
2 than 10 percent.

3 The bill specifies that the funding may not be used for abortion  
4 procedures.